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Read the following:

(1) Government letter No.78753-P.III/46-33, dated 6-7-49.

(ii)Letter from the Government of India,No.L.P. 4363, dated 26-7-49

(iii)Government Memo No.32114-P.III/50-5,dated 19-7-50

(iv)Letter from the Commissioner of Labour A.1.No. 31525/49, dated 8-9-50

According to the provisions of the Minimum Wages Act,1948 (Central Act XI of 1948) which has come into force from 15-3-48 as amended by the Minimum Wages(Amendment) Act 1950 (Central Act LVI of 1950) minimum rates of wages have to be fixed by the State Governmentin all the Scheduled Employments before the expiry of three years from the date of commencement of the Act i.e. before 15-3-1951. The Act contemplates two courses for such fixation. The Government can either appoint a Committee under section 5(1)(a) of the Act with sub-committees, wherever necessary, to hold enquiries and advise them in the matter or publish their proposals straightaway under section 5(1) (b) of the Actwhich may be confirmed after considering the objections and suggestions of all concerned. The Government have decided to adopt the former course and to constitute a committee consisting of the following members to hold enquiries and advise the Government in the matter of fixing minimum rates of wages for employment in any plantation, that is to say, any estate which is maintained for the purpose of growing cinchona, rubber, tea or coffee.

Employers' representatives (1) D.C. Kothari Esq., President United Planters Association of Southern India, Oriental Buildings, Armenian Street, Madras.

(2) C.F. Clark Esq, President, Anamallai Planters' Association, Selalipara Estate, Valparai P.O. via Pollachi

(3) N.A. Mehrban Esq.l, "Glenview, Coonoor, Nilgiris,

(4) K. Srinivasan Esq., Messrs. A.V. Thomas & Company Ltd. Alleppey, United State of Travancore and Cochin-

Worker's representatives : (5) Sri R. Venkataraman, M.A.B.L. Advocate 1/174 Royapettah, High Road Madras.14

(6) Sri C.E. Bharatan, Secretary INTUC., Kerala Branch, Chalapuram

(7) Sri M. Padmanabhan, General Secretary, The South Indian Planteran Worker's Union, Valparai (P.O) Coimbatore Dt.

(8) Sri M. Malli Chettiar, Secretar, Nilgiri Dt. Estate Workers Union, Coonoor R.S.,

Independent Members: (9) Director of Agriculture, Madras.

(10) Director, Cinchona Department, Ootacamund.

(11) Sri K.N. Raghavan Nayar, Assistant Conservator of Forests & Provl. Silviculturist at Coty.

(12) Sri N.S. varadachari, M.L.A. Government House, Mount Road, Madras.2

The Director of Agriculture, Madras will be the Chairman of the Committee.

2. The Special Assistant to the Commissioner of Labour Madras will be the Secretary to the Committee.

3. The Chairman is requested to conduct necessary enquiries and to submit a report to the Government through the Commissioner of Labour, Madras as early as possible.

(By order of His Excellency the Governor)

Sd/. P.S. Viswanatha Ayyar
Secretary to Government.

To
The Members of the Committee.

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